### SUPREME COURT MINUTES THURSDAY, MAY 12, 2005 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

S131861

G029811 Fourth Appellate District,

Division Three

CONSUMER ADVOCATES v. DIAMLERCHRYSLER

Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 10, 2005

S132399

A103716 First Appellate District,

Division Two

PEOPLE v. SAPHAO

Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 20, 2005

S132402

B171476 Second Appellate District,

**Division Seven** 

PEOPLE v. VELASQUEZ

Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 24, 2005

S132405

A102776 First Appellate District,

**Division One** 

PEOPLE v. RHODES

Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 20, 2005

S132464

B168171 Second Appellate District,

B169608 Division Seven

RIO VISTA ASSOCIATES v. HARTFORD

CASUALTY INSURANCE CO.

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 1, 2005

S132471

B170447 Second Appellate District,

B176658 Division One

HALL v. COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 20, 2005

S132488

B172406 Second Appellate District,

**Division Three** 

ROSENBLUM v. SAFECO INSURANCE CO.

Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 21, 2005

S132536 LOCKTON v. SMALL

H025958 Sixth Appellate District Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 23, 2005

MOTLEY (EDWARD) ON H.C. S132645

H028355 Sixth Appellate District Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 20, 2005.

S132694 BECKETT v. MASTERCRAFT BOAT COMPANY

E034556 Fourth Appellate District, Time extended to grant or deny review

**Division Two** to June 24, 2005

S132698 KASTNING v. W.C.A.B. (ALLIED DISTRIBUTING)

Time extended to grant or deny review B181063 Second Appellate District, **Division Six** 

to June 30, 2005

S132701 D. (CHANI), IN RE

**Division Seven** 

Division Two

B175269 Second Appellate District, Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 6, 2005

S132716 GLENDALE TENANTS ASSOCIATION v. CITY OF

B175160 Second Appellate District, GLENDALE (PROPERTY OWNERS FOR, ETC.)

**Division Eight** Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 30, 2005

S132717 CATHEDRAL HILL VISTAS v. BAY AREA

A101823 First Appellate District, CONSTRUCTION FRAMERS, INC. Division Three

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 7, 2005

S132718 LEMAIRE v. S.C. (UNIVERSITY OF SO. CAL.)

Time extended to grant or deny review B179838 Second Appellate District,

to July 1, 2005

A109499 First Appellate District,

Division Three

MORALES (ROBERT), IN RE

Time extended to grant or deny review

to June 24, 2005.

S132765

D044612 Fourth Appellate District,

**Division One** 

PHOTOMEDEX v. IRWIN

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 1, 2005.

S132796

G033549 Fourth Appellate District,

**Division Three** 

BOELTS v. CITY OF LAKE FOREST Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 1, 2005

S132812

C045937 Third Appellate District

WANG v. DAVI

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 1, 2005.

S132814

B163115 Second Appellate District,

**Division Two** 

OAKLAND RAIDERS v. NATIONAL FOOTBALL

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 1, 2005.

S132840

B173813 Second Appellate District,

Division One

MARMUREANU v. LAKS

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 5, 2005

S132871

B163707 Second Appellate District,

**Division One** 

SARGON ENTERPRISES v. UNIVERSITY OF

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 6, 2005

S132872

B167519 Second Appellate District,

**Division One** 

SARGON ENTERPRISES v. UNIVERSITY OF

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 6, 2005

B172824 Second Appellate District,

Division Seven

H.K. SUPERMARKET v. MAGTEEC INVESTMENT

**COMPANY** 

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 6, 2005

S132925

B181849 Second Appellate District,

Division Three

McELWEE (DWAYNE) ON H.C.

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 7, 2005.

S132955

A100188 First Appellate District,

Division Three

SPECIALIZED CLUTCH & BRAKE v. UNITED

BRAKE SYSTEMS INC.

Time extended to grant or deny review

to July 7, 2005.

S029011

PEOPLE v. SOLOMON (MORRIS, JR.)

Extension of time granted

to July 15, 2005 to file respondent's brief. Extension is granted based upon Deputy Attorney General David Andrew Eldridge's representation that he anticipates filing that brief by 7/15/2005. After that date, no further

extension is contemplated.

S057321

PEOPLE v. LOMAX (DARREL L.)

Extension of time granted

to May 17, 2005 to file appellant's opening brief. Extension is granted based upon Supervising Deputy State Public Defender Jessica K. McGuire's representation that she anticipates filing that brief by 5/17/2005. After that date, no further extension will be granted.

S064337

PEOPLE v. ROGERS (RAMON)

Extension of time granted

to May 12, 2005 to file respondent's brief. After that date, only one further extension totaling

about 75 additional days will be granted. Extension is granted based upon Deputy Attorney General Maxine P. Cutler's representation that she anticipates filing that brief by 9/30/2005.

S129463

B161549 Second Appellate District, Division Two CITY OF HOPE v. GENENTECH

Extension of time granted

to June 12, 2005 to file respondent's answer brief on the merits.

S130495

MASTERS (JARVIS) ON H.C.

Extension of time granted

to May 23, 2005 to file the informal response to the petition for writ of habeas corpus. Extension is granted based upon Senior Assistant Attorney General Gerald A. Engler's representation that he anticipates filing that document by 5/23/2005. After that date, no further extension will be granted.

S131322

LEWIS (RAYMOND) ON H.C.

Extension of time granted

to May 27, 2005 to file the informal response to the petition for writ of habeas corpus. Extension is granted based upon Deputy Attorney General Jeffrey D. Firestone's representation that he anticipates filing that document by 5/27/2005. After that date, no further extension is contemplated.

S096360

MCNICHOLS ON DISCIPLINE

Probation revoked

It is ordered that probation is revoked, the previously ordered stay of execution of suspension in the above entitled matter is lifted, and STEVEN F. McNICHOLS, State Bar No. 151934, must be actually suspended from the practice of law for 30 days; and until he has

shown proof satisfactory to the State Bar Court of his rehabilitation, fitness to practice and learning and ability in the general law pursuant to standard 1.4(c)(ii), Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct; and until respondent takes and passes the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination during the period of his actual suspension. (See Segretti v. State Bar (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.). If respondent is actually suspended for 90 days or more, he is further ordered to comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 120 and 130 days, respectively, after the date this order is effective.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar and one-third of said costs must be added to and become part of the membership fees for the years 2006, 2007 and 2008. (Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6086.10.)

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

Good cause having been shown, it is hereby

S117045

# LAFRANCHI ON DISCIPLINE Probation revoked

ordered that probation is revoked, the previously ordered stay of execution of suspension in the above entitled matter is lifted, and ROBERT JAMES LAFRANCHI, State Bar No. 57553, must be actually suspended from the practice of law for one year. Respondent is further ordered to comply with rule 955 of the California Rules of Court, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 calendar days, respectively, after the effective date of this order.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business & Professions Code section 6086.10 and payable in accordance with Business & Professions

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

Code section 6140.7.

#### COHEN ON DISCIPLINE Probation revoked

Good cause having been shown, the probation in case number S118202 (State Bar Court case number 03-J-00044) is revoked, the previous stay of execution of the suspension is lifted, and Matthew Jeremy Cohen, State Bar Number **199410,** is actually suspended from the practice of law in the State of California for two years and until he provides proof satisfactory to the State Bar Court of his rehabilitation, present fitness to practice, and present learning and ability in the general law in accordance with standard 1.4(c)(ii) of the Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct. Credit towards the two-year period of actual suspension is given for the period of involuntary inactive enrollment, which began on January 14, 2005. (Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6007, subd. (d)(3).) Costs are awarded to the State Bar in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6086.10 and are payable in accordance with Business and Professions Code section 6140.7.

S131529

## WILLIAMS ON DISCIPLINE

Recommended discipline imposed

It is ordered that **ROBERT MICHAEL** WILLIAMS, State Bar No. 69540, be suspended from the practice of law for two years, that execution of suspension be stayed, and that he be placed on probation for two years on condition that he be actually suspended for 30 days. Respondent is also ordered to comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its decision filed April 20, 2004. It is further ordered that he take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See Segretti v. State Bar (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) Costs are awarded to the State Bar pursuant to Business & Professions Code section 6086.10 and payable in accordance with Business & Professions Code section 6140.7.

#### FITZGERALD ON DISCIPLINE

Recommended discipline imposed: disbarred

It is hereby ordered that **RONALD WILLIAM FITZGERALD**, **State Bar No. 80041**, be disbarred from the practice of law and that his name be stricken from the roll of attorneys. Respondent is also ordered to comply with rule 955 of the California Rules of Court, and to perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is effective.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar. \*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S131532

### GALENO ON DISCIPLINE

Recommended discipline imposed

It is ordered that JANET ANN GALENO. State Bar No. 114814, be suspended from the practice of law for one year, that execution of suspension be stayed, and that she be placed on probation for one year on condition that she be actually suspended for 30 days. Janet Ann Galeno is also ordered to comply with the other conditions of probation, including restitution, recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed December 17, 2004. It is further ordered that she take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See Segretti v. State Bar (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) Costs are awarded to the State Bar pursuant to Business & Professions Code section 6086.10 and payable in accordance with Business & Professions Code section 6140.7.

S131535

KRUEGER ON DISCIPLINE Recommended discipline imposed

It is ordered that **ROBERT BLAIR KRUEGER JR**, **State Bar No. 145328**, be suspended from the practice of law for 90 days,

that execution of the suspension be stayed, and that he be placed on probation for two years subject to the conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed on December 22, 2004. It is further ordered that he take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See *Segretti* v. *State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) Costs are awarded to the State Bar and one-third of said costs must be added to and become part of the membership fees for the years 2006, 2007 and 2008. (Bus. & Prof. Code section 6086.10.)

S133434

#### KNOTT ON DISCIPLINE

Resignation accepted with disc. proceeding pending

The voluntary resignation of **ROBERT THOMAS KNOTT**, **State Bar No. 167788**, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against respondent should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955 of the California Rules of Court and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S133610

#### ROGERS ON RESIGNATION

Resignation accepted with disc. proceeding pending

The voluntary resignation of **JAMES FREDRIC ROGERS**, **State Bar No. 028203**, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against respondent should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955 of the California Rules of Court

and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

#### S133611

#### NAYFACK ON RESIGNATION

Resignation accepted with disc. proceeding pending

The voluntary resignation of **BRADFORD LEWIS NAYFACK**, **State Bar No. 86520**, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against respondent should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955 of the California Rules of Court and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

#### S133665

#### BENTLER ON RESIGNATION

The voluntary resignation of **Joan Ellen Bentler**, **State Bar No. 100297**, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted.

#### S133666

# COHEN ON RESIGNATION Voluntary resignation accepted

The voluntary resignation of **Norman Sheldon Cohen**, **State Bar No. 060833**, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted.

#### S133667

#### DRAIN ON RESIGNATION

The voluntary resignation of **Lewis Dee Drain**, **State Bar No. 141594**, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted.

S133673 GIBSON ON RESIGNATION

Voluntary resignation accepted

The voluntary resignation of **Dorithea W. Gibson**, **State Bar No. 57100**, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted.

S133675 LEIBENSON ON RESIGNATION

The voluntary resignation of **DENNIS GARY LEIBENSON**, **State Bar No. 44275**, as a member of the State Bar of California is

accepted.

**S133676** PEACE ON RESIGNATION

The voluntary resignation of **ANN PEACE**, **State Bar No. 76585**, as a member of the State

Bar of California is accepted.

S133677 RUDY ON RESIGNATION

The voluntary resignation of **CAROLE DIANE RUDY**, **State Bar No. 70143**, as a member of

the State Bar of California is accepted.

S133680 GILSON ON RESIGNATION

The voluntary resignation of VIRGINIA RUTH GILSON, State Bar No. 89635, as a member of

the State Bar of California is accepted.

S133685 GLASER ON RESIGNATION

The voluntary resignation of **DAN GLASER**, **State Bar No. 119756**, as a member of the State

Bar of California is accepted

S133690 HENZIE ON RESIGNATION

The voluntary resignation of **GEORGE M. HENZIE**, **State Bar No. 20987**, as a member of

the State Day of California is accounted

the State Bar of California is accepted.